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September 21, 2010

Russ Conn
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PO Box 923
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Subject: Deficient Notice of Intention to Commence Small Mining Operations, Lance Conn LLC, Castle Peak, S/013/0011, Duchesne County, Utah

Dear Mr. Conn:

The Division has reviewed the referenced Notice of Intention to Commence Small Mining Operations (NOI), and the following items will need to be addressed before the NOI can be determined complete:

1. A new reclamation contract is needed that reflects the name change from Castle Peak LLC to Lance Conn LLC.
2. The certificate of deposit and the cash bond held by Zions Bank need to reflect the name change from Castle Peak LLC to Lance Conn LLC.

You may change the name on the existing CD, or you may submit a new CD in the name of Lance Conn LLC. The Division can have the name changed on the cash deposit but needs the new taxpayer identification number to do so.

Please provide the required documents within the next 30 days, i.e. a new Form MR-RC (reclamation contract), a new or retitled CD with associated hold letter on the Division's letterhead, and the new taxpayer identification number. Form MR-RC and the hold letter are available on the Division's web site. If you have questions or need further information about these forms, or requirements, please contact Penny Berry at 801-538-5291 or by e mail at bondcoordinator@utah.gov.

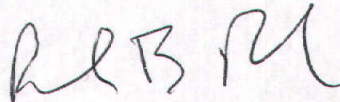
No mining related disturbance may be created until the surety is received and approved, and you have received written acceptance from this office as well as other applicable agencies.



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If you have questions regarding this letter, please call me at 801-538-5261 or Leslie Heppler at 801-538-5257. In reply, please refer to file number S/013/0011. Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'PBB' followed by a stylized flourish.

Paul B. Baker
Minerals Program Manager

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